

Dear Reader,

In the first quarter of 2025, we are thrilled to bring you the latest news from the Ghana Climate Innovation Centre (GCIC). In this edition, we highlight inspiring insights, impactful events, and key updates as we continue to lead the way in climate innovation.

Highlights of this quarter's issue include Ashesi's latest **Intelligence Brief on Collaboration and Networking for Climate Entrepreneurs in Africa** and a successful side event at the **World Bank/IMF Annual Meetings in October 2024**, showcasing scalable climate solutions in Ghana and Africa. Don't miss GCIC intern, **Nathan Ashiagbors'** story as well as an article by our Gender Consultant **Amanobea Boateng** celebrating female entrepreneurs driving growth and sustainability.

Thank you.

**GCIC Hosts Panel Discussion in Partnership with Halcyon at 2024
October World Bank/IMF Meeting in Washington DC**

The International Labour Organization (ILO) estimates that the green economy could generate 24 million jobs by 2030 and Climate Innovation Centres (CICs) play a crucial role in supporting green entrepreneurs to scale up. Watch GCIC's October 2024 World Bank/IMF Annual Meetings side event, Accelerating Growth for Greater Climate Impact, where Ruka Sanusi, Executive Director of the Ghana Climate Innovation Centre, engages in a conversation with Mike Ehst, Senior Private Sector Specialist at the World Bank, Stacey Swann, CEO, Resilient Earth Capital and Daniel Barker, CEO, Halcyon, here.



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CLIMATE INDUSTRY SPOTLIGHTS

Collaboration and Networking in Climate Entrepreneurship in Africa: Benefits and Policy Pathways

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Climate Industry Spotlight : Explore the Latest Insights in Climate Entrepreneurship

Discover actionable strategies and inspiring success stories in our latest intelligence brief: Collaboration and Networking in Climate Entrepreneurship in Africa: Benefits and Policy Pathways by Gideon O. Osabutey and William Ohene Annoh. This brief dives into how enhanced social capital and collaborative networks are driving innovation and impact for climate-focused ventures across the continent.

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In Celebration of Rural Women Entrepreneurs



We celebrate two pivotal occasions in 2024 - International Day of Rural Women (October 15) and Women Entrepreneurship Day (November 19), honouring the vital contributions of female entrepreneurs. These occasions align with the Ghana Climate Innovation Centre's mission, as half of our entrepreneurs are female.

Read the full article and watch a short video featuring some of our female business owners [here!](#)

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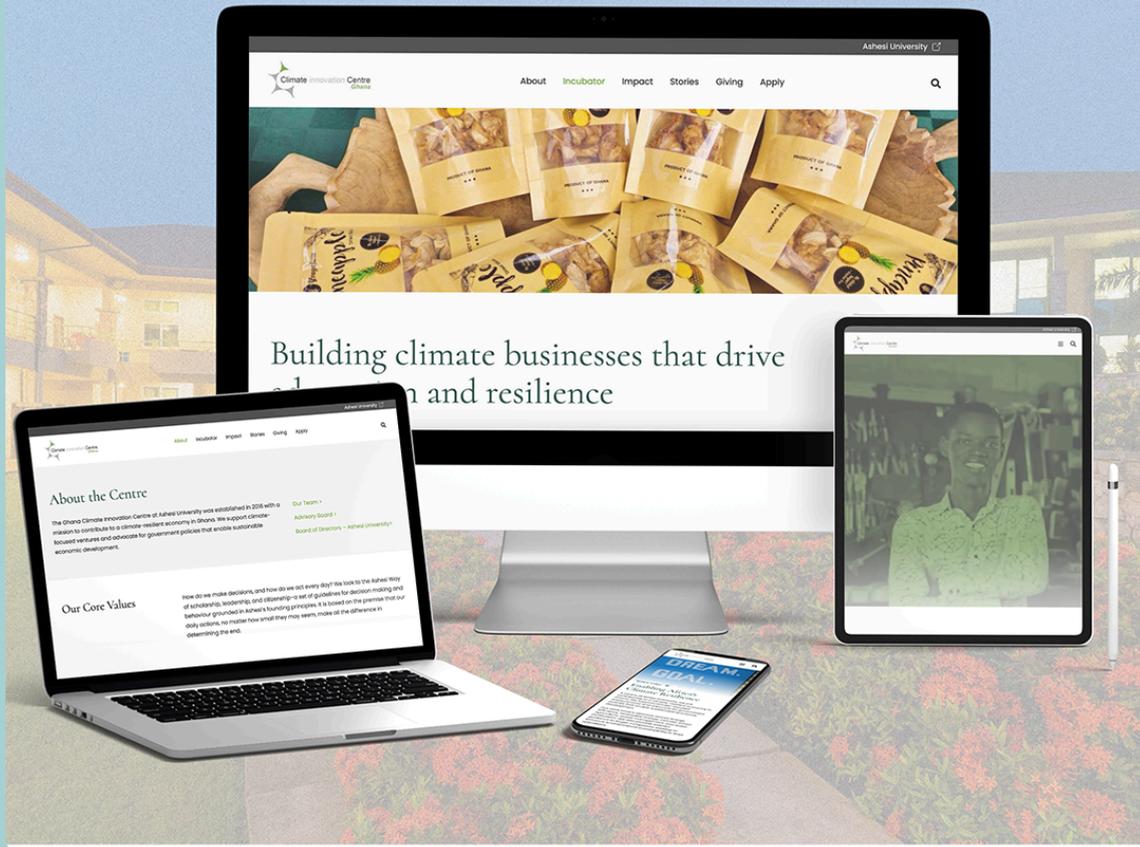


Reflections on a Year at the Ghana Climate Innovation Centre

Nathan Ashiabor reflects on his year-long internship at the Ghana Climate Innovation Centre (GCIC) and shares insights on his rotation through key departments of the Centre. From attending innovative masterclasses on Inclusive Masculinity and climate-smart entrepreneurship to participating in a staff retreat that emphasized teamwork discover how this experience has shaped his commitment to sustainability, ethical leadership, and collaboration.

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We're excited to announce that our website has undergone a transformation, including a change in our domain from www.ghanacic.org to www.ghanacic.ashesi.edu.gh

This update brings you an all-new, user-friendly interface, designed to enhance your experience as you explore our initiatives. It also reflects our partnership with Ashesi University, a renowned institution known for its commitment to innovation and excellence—values that align with our mission.

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